

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of )  
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 OIPE Jc. Tsunemori Yoshida ) Art Unit: 1745  
 NOV 24 2003 Appln. No. : 09/660,394 )  
 ) Ex: L. Weiner  
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 Filed : October 31, 2002 )  
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 For: SEPARATOR FOR A FUEL CELL AND A )  
 METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME )

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated June 22, 2003 of the Examiner finally rejecting claim(s) 1-4, 8-10 and 13-15.

1.  A verified statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27
  - is enclosed.
  - is of record in this application.
2.  An extension of time to respond to the final rejection
  - is hereby requested.
  - was requested on       .
3.  An oral hearing is requested.

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7. (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-1213. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
  - (X) Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
  - ( ) The Issue Fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b).
  - (X) Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16.

Respectfully submitted,



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